

## PERFORMANCE SPECIFICATION

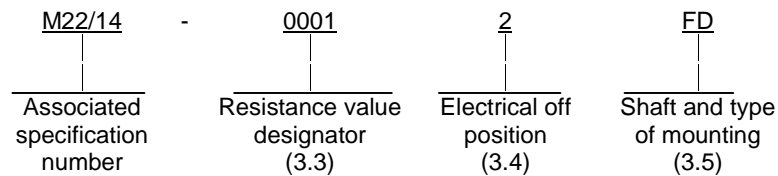
### RESISTORS, VARIABLE, (WIRE-WOUND, POWER TYPE), (UNENCLOSED), STYLE RP55

This specification is approved for use by all Departments  
and Agencies of the Department of Defense.

#### 1. SCOPE

1.1 Scope. This specification covers the requirements for style RP55, variable, wire-wound, power type, unenclosed resistors.

1.2 Part or Identifying Number (PIN). Variable resistors covered by this specification are identified by a PIN which is in the following form.



NOTE: The slash "/" and the dash "-" are needed in the procurement of this part.

#### 2. APPLICABLE DOCUMENTS

2.1 General. The documents listed in this section are specified in sections 3 and 4 of this specification. This section does not include documents cited in other sections of this specification or recommended for additional information or as examples. While every effort has been made to ensure the completeness of this list, document users are cautioned that they must meet all specified requirements documents cited in sections 3 and 4 of this specification, whether or not they are listed.

##### 2.2 Government documents.

2.2.1 Specifications, standards, and handbooks. The following specifications, standards, and handbooks form a part of this document to the extent specified herein. Unless otherwise specified, the issues of these documents are those listed in the issue of the Department of Defense Index of Specifications and Standards (DoDISS) and supplement thereto, cited in the solicitation (see 6.2).

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## SPECIFICATION

## DEPARTMENT OF DEFENSE

MIL-PRF-22 - Resistors, Variable, (Wire Wound, Power Type), General Specification for.

(Unless otherwise indicated, copies of the above specifications, standards, and handbooks are available from the Document Automation and Production Service, Building 4D (DPM-DODSSP), 700 Robbins Avenue, Philadelphia, PA 19111-5094).

2.3 Order of precedence. In event of a conflict between the text of this document and the references cited herein (except for related associated specifications, specification sheets, or MS sheets), the text of this document takes precedence. Nothing in this document, however, supersedes applicable laws and regulations unless a specific exemption has been obtained.

## 3. REQUIREMENTS

3.1 General. The requirements for acquiring the product described herein shall consist of this document and MIL-PRF-22.

3.2 Interface and physical dimensions. The resistors shall meet the interface and physical dimensions specified in figure 1.

3.3 Nominal resistance and maximum current. The nominal total resistance and maximum current shall be as specified in table I.

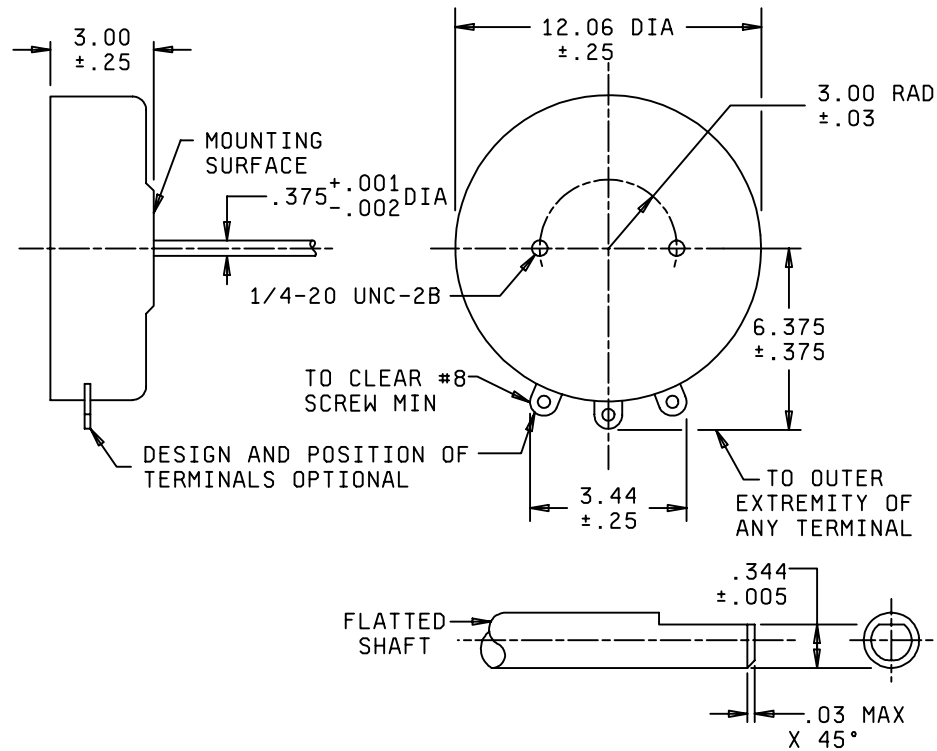
TABLE I. Style RP55.

PIN 1/	Type designator 1/	Nominal total resistance (ohms)	Maximum current (amperes) 2/
M22/14-0001---	RP55---2R0KK	2.0	22.36
M22/14-0002---	RP55---2R5KK	2.5	20.00
M22/14-0003---	RP55---3R0KK	3.0	18.26
M22/14-0004---	RP55---4R0KK	4.0	15.81
M22/14-0005---	RP55---5R0KK	5.0	14.14
M22/14-0006---	RP55---7R5KK	7.5	11.55
M22/14-0007---	RP55---100KK	10	10.00
M22/14-0008---	RP55---120KK	12	9.13
M22/14-0009---	RP55---150KK	15	8.16
M22/14-0010---	RP55---250KK	25	6.32
M22/14-0011---	RP55---350KK	35	5.35
M22/14-0012---	RP55---500KK	50	4.47
M22/14-0013---	RP55---750KK	75	3.65
M22/14-0014---	RP55---101KK	100	3.16
M22/14-0015---	RP55---151KK	150	2.58
M22/14-0016---	RP55---201KK	200	2.24
M22/14-0017---	RP55---251KK	250	2.00
M22/14-0018---	RP55---351KK	350	1.69
M22/14-0019---	RP55---501KK	500	1.41
M22/14-0020---	RP55---751KK	750	1.15
M22/14-0021---	RP55---102KK	1,000	1.00
M22/14-0022---	RP55---152KK	1,500	0.82
M22/14-0023---	RP55---252KK	2,500	0.63

1/ The complete type designation and part number include symbols indicating electrical off position from table II, style of shaft and type of mounting from table III and length of operating shaft from table IV. (see example of part number.)

2/ Not to be exceeded on any portion of the winding.

3.4 Electrical off position. The existence and location of an electrical off position at one end of the resistance element is indicated by a single digit, in accordance with table II.



Inches	mm	Inches	mm	Inches	mm	Inches	mm
.001	0.03	.030	.76	3.00	76.20	12.06	306.32
.002	0.05	.250	6.35	3.44	87.38		
.005	0.13	.375	9.53	6.375	161.93		

NOTES:

1. Dimensions are in inches.
2. Metric equivalents are given for general information.

FIGURE 1. Style RP55

TABLE II. Electrical off position.

Symbol	Electrical off position
1	No electrical off position.
2	Electrical off position at end of rotation of control knob in a counterclockwise direction.
3	Electrical off position at end of rotation of control knob in a clockwise direction.

3.5 Shaft and type of mounting. The shaft, type of mounting, and length of shaft is identified by a two letter symbol. The first letter indicates the style of shaft and type of mounting and the second letter indicates the length of the shaft, in accordance with tables III and IV, respectively.

TABLE III. Style of shaft and type of mounting.

Symbol	Style of shaft	0.375 inch diameter shaft 2 hole mounting
F	Flatted	X

TABLE IV. Length of operating shaft.

Standard length of shaft measured from mounting surface of resistor	
Symbol	0.375 inch diameter shaft in inches ( $\pm 0.0468$ )
	2 hole mounting
D	0.875
H	1.500
J	2.000
K	2.500 <sup>1/</sup>
N	4.000
R	6.000

<sup>1/</sup> This shaft shall be flatted to within 0.156 inch of the mounting surface.

3.6 Resistance tolerance. The resistance tolerance available is  $\pm 10$  percent.

3.7 Power rating. The power rating shall be 1000 watts at 25°C. The resistor shall be mounted on a steel panel, 12 inches square, with a thickness of 0.063 inches. The hotspot for the panel shall not exceed 390°C.

3.8 Torque.

3.8.1 Operating torque. The operating torque shall not be less than 1 pound-inches (lb-in) minimum and 10.0 lb-in maximum.

3.8.2 Stop torque. The stop torque shall be 15.0 lb-in maximum.

3.9 Mechanical rotation. The mechanical rotation shall be  $335^{\circ} \pm 5^{\circ}$ .

3.10 Hardware. Two 0.250-20 UNC-2A flathead machine screws of sufficient length to permit mounting on a 0.250 inch thick panel shall be supplied.

#### 4. VERIFICATION

4.1 Sampling and inspection. Sampling and inspection shall be in accordance with MIL-PRF-22.

## 5. PACKAGING

5.1 Packaging. For acquisition purposes, the packaging requirements shall be as specified in the contract or order (see 6.2). When actual packaging of materiel is to be performed by DoD personnel, these personnel need to contact the responsible packaging activity to ascertain requisite packaging requirements. Packaging requirements are maintained by the Inventory Control Point's packaging activity within the Military Department or Defense Agency, or within the Military Department's System Command. Packaging data retrieval is available from the managing Military Department's or Defense Agency's automated packaging files, CD-ROM products, or by contacting the responsible packaging activity.

## 6. NOTES

(This section contains information of general or explanatory nature that may be helpful, but is not mandatory.)

6.1 Intended use. The intended use specified in MIL-PRF-22 is applicable to this specification.

6.2 Acquisition requirements. Acquisition documents must specify the following:

- a. Title, number, and date of this specification, and the complete PIN (see 1.2).
- b. Issue of DoDISS to be cited in the solicitation, and if required, the specific issue of the individual documents referenced (see 2.1).
- c. Packaging instructions (see 5.1).

6.3 PIN. This specification requires a PIN that describes technology and appropriate references to associated documents (see 1.2 and 3.1).

6.4 Changes from previous issue. Marginal notations are not used in this revision to identify changes with respect to the previous issue due to the extent of the changes.

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